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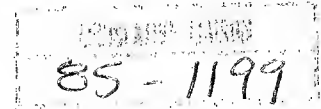
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LEGISLATIVE REFERRAL MEMORANDUM

TO: Legislative Liaison Officer

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SUBJECT: OPM (Office of Government Ethic) draft bill to amend section 207(a) of the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to provide a short-form confidential disclosure system for non-public filers.

The Office of Management and Budget requests the views of your agency on the above subject before advising on its relationship to the program of the President, in accordance with OMB Circular A-19.

A response to this request for your views is needed no later than COB May 6, 1985, by telephone if necessary. Congressional interest in this area requires expeditious handling of this bill.

Questions should be referred to Hilda Schreiber (395-7362).

*Naomi R Sweeney*

Naomi R. Sweeney for  
Assistant Director for  
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Honorable David A. Stockman  
Director  
Office of Management and Budget  
Executive Office of the President  
Washington, D.C. 20503

Attention: Assistant Director for Legislative Reference

Dear Mr. Stockman:

Enclosed is a legislative proposal (draft bill, section analysis, statement of purpose and justification, and letters of transmittal to the Congress) to amend section 207(a) of the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to provide for a short-form confidential disclosure system for non-public filers.

We believe the proposal is timely and necessary because of the somewhat ambiguous effect of section 207(a) of the Ethics Act on the present confidential disclosure system which had been established pursuant to Executive Order 11222.

We want to clarify and improve the authority for this important component of the ethics program.

We shall appreciate your informing us whether there is any objection to submission of the draft bill to the Congress from the standpoint of the Administration's program.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Loretta Cornelius".

Loretta Cornelius  
Acting Director

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